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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 16th Day of *December*, 1742.

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

Sheriffs appointed by His Majeſty in Council for the Year enſuing, *viz.*

Berks,	John Blandy, *of* Kingſton Bagpuze, *Eſq*;
Bedford,	Poſtponed.
Bucks,	Edward Laſcells, *of* Datchett, *Eſq*;
Cumberland,	Humphry Senhouſe, *of* Netherhall, *Eſq*;
Cheſhire,	Philip Egerton, *of* Oulton, *Eſq*;
Camb' & Hunt'.	Sir Thomas Peyton, *of* Great Raveley, *Bart.*
Devon,	John Pollexſen, *of* Mothecombe, *Eſq*;
Dorſet,	James Forſter, *of* Blandford St. Mary, *Eſq*;
Derby,	William Brown, *of* Stretton, *Eſq*;
Eſſex,	Edward Stephenſon, *of* Barnfeild, *Eſq*;
Glouceſter,	William Tayloe, *Eſq*;
Hertford,	Thomas Anſell, *of* Ickleford, *Eſq*;
Hereford,	James Clark, *Eſq*;
Kent,	Thomas Whitaker, *of* Trotiſcliffe, *Eſq*;
Leiceſter,	James Willſon, *Eſq*;
Lincoln,	John Chumley, *Eſq*;
Monmouth,	Edward Perkins, *of* Pilſtone, *Eſq*;
Northumb'	Charles Lorain, *of* Stanton, *Eſq*;
Northampton,	Poſtponed.
Norfolk,	Edward Atkins, *of* Ketteringham, *Eſq*;
Nottingham,	Lancellott Rolleſton, *Eſq*;
Oxford,	Joſeph Taylor, *of* Sandford, *Eſq*;
Rutland,	John Cook, *Eſq*;
Shropſhire,	Poſtponed.
Somerſet,	James Smyth, *of* St. Audries, *Eſq*;
Stafford,	Charles Chadwick, *Eſq*;
Suffolk,	Sir John Barker, *of* Sproughton, *Bart.*
Southampton,	Edward Hooker, *of* Worthy, *Eſq*;
Surry,	Iſaac Eeles, *of* Lambeth, *Eſq*;
Suſſex,	John Dennett, *of* Bolney, *Eſq*;
Warwick,	Bourne Eabourne, *Eſq*;
Worceſter,	James Newnham, *Eſq*;
Wilts,	John Hippeſley, *of* Stanton, *Eſq*;
York,	Ralph Bell, *of* Thirsk, *Eſq*;

SOUTH-WALES.

Brecon,	Peter Saunders, *of* Brecon, *Eſq*;
Carmarthen,	John Phillipps, *of* Alltycadno, *Eſq*;
Cardigan,	David Lloyd, *of* Alltyrodin, *Eſq*;
Glamorgan,	Mathew Deere, *of* Aſhall, *Eſq*;
Pembroke,	George Mear, *of* Pennar, *Eſq*;
Radnor,	Peter Rickards, *Eſq*;

NORTH-WALES.

Angleſea,	Poſtponed.
Carnarvon,	Poſtponed.
Denbigh,	Aquila Wyke, *of* Marchwyell, *Eſq*;
Flint,	Hugh Hughes, *of* Coed y Braine, *Eſq*;
Merioneth,	Poſtponed.
Montgomery,	Rees Lloyd, *of* Clochſaen, *Eſq*;

Florence, Dec. 1, *N. S.* The Pope having cauſed freſh Remonſtrances to be made to the General Gages about evacuating the Eccleſiaſtical State according to his Promiſe; He anſwer'd, That the Auſtrians having intercepted the Courier that was bringing him the Orders of his Court touching the Winter Quarters, he was under a Neceſſity of waiting for the Return of the Expreſs that he had ſent to Madrid for freſh Inſtructions; that the Situation in which he found himſelf, ſince the Entry into Tuſcany had been barred againſt him, would in all Probability oblige him to ſeparate his Army, and that the Cavalry might take up their Winter Quarters among the Ferrarois, and the Infantry in Romania, for the Convenience of Forage and Proviſion. The Pope has held many Congregations of Cardinals in his Preſence touching this Anſwer of the Spaniſh General: He has ſhewn to their Eminencies the Copies of the Letters wrote by him to the King of Spain, with the Original Anſwers of the aforeſaid Monarch; wherein he aſſures the Pope that he had order'd his Troops to evacuate the Eccleſiaſtical State without Delay: But they are come to no Reſolution, and M. de Gages will act as he pleaſes. His Army has been conſiderably diminiſhed by frequent Deſertions, and Sickneſs. But according to Letters from Boulogne, it always keeps up its Number, becauſe he is continually receiving ſmall Reinforcements, which it is believed are ſecretly ſent him from the Abruzzo; though it is difficult to know this certainly, becauſe at Foligno, where his Hoſpitals are, and throughout all the Eccleſiaſtical State, he takes Care to enliſt as many Men as he can find;

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find; which Recruits, joined to the Sick of his Army who recover, take the Route of Boulogne. The Regency of Tuſcany hath ſent Orders to Frezzo to have Carriages made for twelve Pieces of Cannon, which lay upon the Ground there in the Citadel, and to have Beds prepared at Borgo del Sepolcro for a Detachment of an 100 Soldiers, which is intended to be ſent into Garriſon there.

Chambery, Dec. 7. Our Armies are ſtill encamped, and in the ſame Situation, to the great Detriment of them both; our Men fall ſick a-pace, and we loſe no ſmall Number by Deſertion, for which we have no other Comfort, but that our Enemies ſuffer three Times as much as we do in both theſe Ways. We have juſt received Advice, that M. de Glimes was recalled by the Court of Spain, and that the Marquis de la Mina, formerly Ambaſſador at the Court of France, arrived the Day before Yeſterday at the Spaniſh Camp under Barreaux, with Letters and Authority from their Catholick Majeſties to take the Command of the Army. We do not apprehend that he will attempt to attack us in our preſent Camp, which he would find both a difficult and dangerous Piece of Work; it is rather probable that he will go into Winter Quarters, as the only Means of preſerving the Remains of his Army againſt next Spring.

Geneva, Dec. 8. The Armies in Lombardy are now retiring into Winter Quarters; the Auſtrians along the Penaro into the Modeneſe, and the Spaniards into the Roman State, about Ancona and Rimini. The Spaniſh Army under the Command of Count de Glymes, has been reinforced with 6000 Men from Catalonia. Poſitive Orders have been ſent him to force his Paſſage into Italy in one Way or other. It is reported he is likely to be as much in Diſgrace as M. de Montemar, for not giving the Savoyards Battle. There are Preparations making at Barcelona for the Embarkation of Troops, and private Orders are ſaid to be come to the Spaniſh Miniſter here, to ſend down Veſſels for Tranſports. The Generals Montemar and Caſtellar are gone from hence to Finale in their Way to Spain. This Republick has almoſt adjuſted the Differences that have ſo long ſubſiſted between them and the Iſlanders of Corſica, having granted them the Liberty of keeping their Arms, and complied in a great Meaſure with their Demands. Four Days ago arrived his Britannick Majeſty's Ship the Winchelſea, Capt. Holcombe, in Eight Days, from Hieres, where he left Vice-Admiral Matthews, with the major Part of his Fleet in a very good Condition. The Spaniſh Fleet at Toulon were all refitted, except one Ship; but they wanted above one Third of their Complement of Men.

Vienna, Dec. 8, *N. S.* This Day, the Birth-Day of the Great Duke of Tuſcany, Sir Thomas Robinſon received the Honour of Knighthood, and was inveſted by his Royal Highneſs with the Order of the Bath. Marſhal Konigſeg return'd hither laſt Night; when he left the Army, Prince Charles was battering Braunau, and we hear that the Bombs thrown into that Town, had already ſet great Part of it on Fire. There is a Garriſon of 3000 Men, and it is very doubtful, whether the Auſtrians may be able to make themſelves Maſters of that Place in this terrible Seaſon. We have begun to recruit here and in Moravia with Succeſs. It is confirm'd from Bohemia, that Leuthmeritz was the Magazine intended for M. Maillebois, if he could have ſucceeded in his Junction with Broglio, or otherwiſe, to ſupply Prague; it is aſſured here that it was valued at a Million; and it is certain, that the Loſs of it has produced ſome Want in Prague, particularly of Salt and Powder; Meat and Wood are already very ſcarce, and the French are obliged to burn the Stools, which ſerve in the Churches, for Firing; and ſome ſay they have marked a great Number of Houſes to be pulled down for that Purpoſe likewiſe.

Dreſden, Dec. 11. *N. S.* This Court has iſſued Orders, throughout the whole Saxon Army, that, in each Regiment of Infantry, the Firſt Battallion, and, in each of Cavalry, the Firſt Squadron, be in Readineſs to march at an Hour's Warning. Upwards of 2000 Men are ſaid to have already died of the Garriſon of Prague, during the preſent Blockade of that Capital, and they continue to bury there, partly Inhabitants and partly Soldiers, near 200 a Day.

Paris, Dec. 22. *N. S.* Though the Cardinal de Fleury is much better in Health at preſent, than he has been lately, his Eminency ſtill continues at Iſſy, where he ſees only the French Miniſters. This Court is making Preparations for carrying on the War with Vigour the next Spring: Beſides the Augmentation, lately deſign'd, of 50,000 Men, of which there are to be 300 Companies of Horſe and Dragoons, they think of raiſing ſeven Battallions of German Foot, and 36 Companies of Huſſars. The printed Ordonnances for theſe Levies, are publiſhed this Morning.

St. James's, Dec. 17.

This Day Count Flemming, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland, had his firſt private Audience of His Majeſty, to deliver his Letters of Credence: He was introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Carteret, one of His Majeſty's principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, December 18.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Honourable Sir Charles Wager, Knight, the Office or Place of Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy, in the room of Thomas Clutterbuck, Eſq; deceaſed.

Chelſea Hoſpital, Dec. 18. 1742.

Theſe are, by Order of the Right Honourable my Lords and others Commiſſioners for the Affairs of the Royal Hoſpital at Chelſea, to give Notice, That all Out-Penſioners (as well Lettermen as others) belonging to the ſaid Hoſpital reſiding in London, or within 25 Miles thereof, are required to appear perſonally at the Secretary's Office in the ſaid Hoſpital, and are alſo required to appear Regimentally on the reſpective Days appointed for them as are hereafter mentioned, when Attendance will be given on thoſe Days, from Nine o' Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, in order to regiſter their Appearances, viz. On Tueſday January the 4th, 1742, the Penſioners from the 1ſt, 2d, 3d and 4th Troops of Life Guards, and 1ſt and 2d Troops of Horſe Grenadier Guards, Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, and Pembroke's. *Thurſday, January the 6th,* Mountague's late Evans's, Wade's, Tyrawley's formerly Davenport's,

Davenport's, Napier's, Cathcart's formerly Warren's, Legonier's, Hawley's late Strafford's, Campbell's, Honeywood's, Rich's late Evans's, Moleſworth's formerly Roſs's, Cadogan's, Kerr's, Nevill's formerly Pepper's, Cope's late Croft's, Churchill's, Lord Mark Kerr's, Dormer's late Nevill's, Foiſac's, Lepell's, Lebouchetier's, Newton's, Stanhope's, Withers's. *Tueſday January* 11, *the firſt Regiment of Foot Guards. Thurſday January* 13, *the ſecond Regiment of Foot Guards. Tueſday January* 18, *the third Regiment of Foot Guards. Thurſday January* 20, St. Clare's late Orkney's, Kirk's, Howard's, Barrell's, Irwin's late Cope's, Harriſon's late Southwell's, Hargrave's late Tirawley's, Lanoe's, Read's late Hargrave's, Collumbine's late Groves's, Cornwallis's late Mountague's, Wetham's, Pulteney's late Middleton's, Clayton's, Harriſon's late Hertford's, Handaſyd's. *Tueſday January the* 25*th*, Tyrrell's, Armſtrong's late Hotham's, Howard's late Sutton's, St. George's late Eſſingham's, Scotch Fuſileers, Pagett's late Moyles's, Sabine's late Wentworth's, Rothe's, Anſtruther's. *Thurſday January* 27, Blakeney's, Bragg's formerly Mordaunt's, Fuller's late Read's, Biſſett's, Handaſyd's late Hargrave's, Deſcurry's late Pagett's, Johnſton's late Dalzell's, Cavendiſh late Cornwallis's, Otway's, Bland's late Moyles's, Sabine's, Ponſonby's late Murray's, Dalzell's late Jones's, Dalway's late Wentworth's, Col. Richard Phillips's, Barrymore's, Bowles's, Butler's, Buchannan's, Bloiſſet's, Belcaſtle's, Corbett's, Clayton's late Honeywood's, Churchill's late Brudenell's, Dormer's, Dubourgay's, Douglaſs's, Elliott's, Evans's Foot. *Tueſday February* 1, Frank's, Grant's, Gore's Foot, Hothams, Iriſh Eſtabliſhment, Cane's, Kerr's, Hamilton's broken late Leigh's, Lemolinier's, Moleſworth's, Montandre's, Munden's, Naſſau's, Pocock's, Price's, Rich's, Rantzau's, Reduced Out Penſioners, William Stanhope's, Stanwix's, Tyrrell's, Windſor's Foot, Windreſs's, Wyane's, Sir James Wood's Scotch Hollanders, Several Independent Companies, and Marine Regiments, Houſe, Bettſworth's Company, Briſtow's Company, Bruce's Company, Carwarden's Company, Churchill's, Doyley's Company, Green's Company, Mowatt's Company, Plucknet's Company, Webb's Company, Winſley's Company. *Thurſday February* 3, the Letter Men and Men at Nine Pence a Day. *And that all Out Penſioners as are at a greater Diſtance than* 25 *Miles, are required to apply themſelves forthwith to one of his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace in the Neighbourhood where they reſide, and make Oath that they are Out Penſioners belonging to the ſaid Hoſpital, mentioning in their Certificates the Regiment to which they formerly did belong, how long they ſerved in the Army, their Age, in what Manner wounded or diſabled, their preſent Place of Abode, and that they are no otherwiſe provided for by the Government, to the Intent that the Commiſſioners for the Affairs of the ſaid Hoſpital may be ſatisfied that they are the ſame Perſons that have paſſed their Examination. 'Tis alſo required, that the ſaid Certificates be ſent by the General Poſt only, direct'd* To the Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Eſq; Pay Maſter General of his Majeſty's Land Forces, at the Horſe Guards, London. *And 'tis hereby further notified, that no one will be entered on the Pay Book of the ſaid Hoſpital, or be thought entituled to the ſaid Penſion, that ſhall neglect making their Appearance, or ſending Certificates, as before directed.*

Kingſmill Eyre, *Secretary.*

Admiralty Office, Dec. 10, 1742.

The Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty are hereby pleaſed to direct, that ſuch Lieutenants of the Navy as are unemployed, do tranſmit hither an Account of their Places of Abode, in order to their being ſent for, when his Majeſty's Service may require their Attendance.

Tho. Corbett.

General Poſt Office, London, July 3, 1742.

Whereas divers Perſons, thro' Ignorance or Careleſneſs, frequently put Letters into the General Poſt Offices, and the Receiving Houſes both in Town and Country, directed on board of Ships, and to Foreign Parts, without paying at the ſame Time the Poſtage, as ought to be done; And whereas Letters and Packets are often put into the ſaid Offices with Money and Rings incloſed, and in Fraud of his Majeſty's Revenue, divers Perſons preſume to ſend Letters with falſe and counterfeit Franks: This is to acquaint the Publick, that no Letters under any of the Circumſtances aforeſaid have any Right by Law to be forwarded.

Note, That Letters going out of Great Britain (except to France, Holland, and Flanders) have by the ancient Uſage of this Office paid the Foreign Poſtage, and are required by the Act of Parliament ſo to do, at the Office in Great Britain where the ſame are firſt put in.

Note alſo, That if ſuch Letters to Foreign Parts are put into any of the Country Offices, the Inland Poſtage of ſuch Letters to London muſt alſo be paid on putting the ſame into ſuch Office.

By Command of the Poſt Maſter General,
George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

General Poſt-Office, London, Sept. 29, 1742.

POST CHAISES between London and Bath.

This is to acquaint the Publick, that the ſeveral Poſtmaſters on the Road between London and Bath, are ready to furniſh any Gentlemen, or others, with Poſt Chaiſes, ſafe, eaſy, and well ſecured from the Weather, with a Lamp to give ſufficient Light in dark Nights, upon as ſhort Warning as for Poſt Horſes, any Hour either in the Day or Night. And farther Notice is hereby given, that whereas the Diſtance between Marlborough and Bath, has never yet been conſidered as Poſt Road, it will be computed at Thirty four Miles, according to Tompion's Meaſurement between thoſe two Places. Gentlemen who have Occaſion to go Poſt on the Bath Roads, are deſired to apply to Mr. Miller, Poſt-maſter, at the White Bear in Piccadilly.

N. B. A Poſt Chaiſe may be had at any of the Stages on the Bath Road, to go Part or all the Way, for one or more Stages, for thoſe who do not chuſe to travel in the Night. By Command of the Poſt-Maſter General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Bank, Dec. 15, 1742.

To prevent Miſtakes or any Perſons being impoſed on, Notice is hereby given, That after the 20th Inſtant, no Aſſignment of the New additional Bank Stock can be made (according to the Charter) but by a Tranſfer in the Books of the Bank; and that Aſſignments of the ſaid Stock by the Receipts, after that Time, will not be allowed.

Royal Exchange Aſſurance-Office, Dec. 15. 1742.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company, do hereby give Notice, That their Tranſfer Books will be ſhut from Thurſday the 23*d of this Inſtant December, to Thurſday the* 20*th of January next; and that the Annual General Court of the ſaid Company, appointed by their Charter, will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the* 29*th of December Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon; and that a Dividend will be conſidered of at the ſaid Court.*

Advertiſements.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Craven Peyton, late of Nutfield in the County of Surry, Eſq; deceaſed, are hereby required to come in and prove their Debts, before Samuel Burroughs, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, on or before the 24th Day of January next peremptorily, or otherwiſe they will be abſolutely excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Richard Yates, late of London, Merchant, deceaſed, are to come before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the firſt Day of Hillary Term next, and prove their ſeveral Demands, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to an Order of the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the major Part of the Commiſſioners named in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Harris and Simon Whetcombe, of Ludgate-Hill, London, Dealers in Teas and Partners, intend to meet on the 15th of January next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the

Creditors